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DEMOCRATIC TICKET
Governor—Judson Harmon.
Lieut. Gov.—Atlee Pomeroy.
Supreme Judges—Maurice H. Donahue, James Johnson.
Attorney General—Timothy S. Hogan.
Secretary of State—Chas. F. Graves.
State Treasurer—D. S. Creamer.
Clerk Supreme Court—Frank McKean.
Dairy and Food Com.—S. B. Strope.
School Commissioner—Frank W. Miller.
Board Public Works—J. A. States.
Congressman—William G. Sharp.
Circuit Judge—Robert S. Shields.
State Senator—Welland D. Gray.
Representative—Samuel E. Gollahall.
Clerk of Courts—Chas. W. Hayes.
Sheriff—Peter J. Parker.
Auditor—Irvin Young.
Commissioners—William Lewis, Leonard Britton, Theodore M. Dill.
Treasurer—Lloyd M. Dill.
Recorder—Benj. R. Parker.
Surveyor—Arthur C. Wolfe.
Prosecuting Atty.—B. B. Ferrenbaugh.
Infirmary Directors—James W. Coe, Frank E. Cotton, Riley Levering.
Coroner—J. C. Winteringer.



MAINE!

MAINE SPEAKS

The voters of Maine spoke Monday and their utterance was the same as that voiced in Vermont last week and in the recent special elections in congressional districts in Missouri, Massachusetts and New York, but in a more emphatic manner. The election in Maine was an overwhelming rebuke to the Republican party, the result being the election of a Democratic governor, a Democratic legislature, which will elect a Democratic United States senator, two Democratic congressmen and with the usual 3,500 Republican majority in each of the other two districts cut down in each to less than 300. Local issues may have had a bearing on the election of a governor and members of the legislature, but not so on the election of congressmen. The result in Maine emphasizes the condition of the public mind throughout the country and portends a sweeping Democratic victory in November. And it is not unreasonable to predict that Ohio will be in on the Democratic landslide.

THAT SPECIAL SESSION

In the news columns of today's Banner is carried the letter of Mayor Marshall of Columbus calling on Governor Harmon to assemble a special session of the legislature to enact a compulsory arbitration law, and the answer of Governor to the request. Marshall's letter is altogether impudent, and Governor Harmon hands him a hot, but yet at the same time, courteous answer. Mayor Marshall and some others at Columbus have been playing more politics than anything else in the strike at Columbus, and have been using the unfortunate condition of affairs in an effort to make political capital against Harmon. Many of their plays have been

of a covert character, but this latest is so apparent that it ought to make all workmen, and others who have been in sympathy with the car men see clearly the effort to use them as catspaws and array them, without cause, against Governor Harmon in the present campaign. Gov. Harmon has accomplished too much for the people of Ohio during the short time he has been in office to have his motives challenged and be made the target of a bunch of politicians in an effort to misrepresent his attitude.

AS TO COMPULSORY ARBITRATION

[Columbus Dispatch]
Governor Harmon, Wednesday, made no further reply to Mayor Marshall, but called attention to the fact that many good lawyers are of the opinion that the legislature went as far as it could in the direction of compulsory arbitration in the enactment of the present board of arbitration law, until the state constitution has been amended.
The governor pointed out Sec. 19 of the fourth article of the state constitution, in this connection, which provides that "the general assembly may establish courts of conciliation and prescribe their powers and duties, but such courts shall not render final judgment in any case except on submission by the parties of the matter in dispute and their agreement to abide by such judgment."
He also pointed out that the language of the board of arbitration statute follows this constitutional limitation so closely as to leave little doubt that the legislature had it in mind in framing that law and was going to the limit of its power in the matter of establishing a state tribunal of conciliation.

POLITICS OF COLUMBUS STRIKE

It does seem strange that the Republican politicians can make so much "political thunder" out of the Columbus strike because they think they have a chance to unload on a Democratic governor, who has been fair and impartial in the performance of his sworn duty, while at the same time they maintain a profound silence about the Republican officials whose acts have been unfavorable to the strikers.

There are the mayor, the chief of police, the sheriff, the common pleas judge, the police judge, the treasurer of Mr. Harding's campaign committee, and even an expresident of the United States, all saying or doing things unfriendly to the strikers, and all are Republicans.

There is not another Democratic official on the whole line except the governor, and he is the only official who has been absolutely fair and impartial to both sides.

Fair minded citizens of Ohio will resent the malevolent efforts of the scheming Republican bosses who are trying to make a goat of Governor Harmon for doing his sworn duty without fear or favor.

When the truth is fully known and understood Governor Harmon's official conduct throughout the troubled conditions at Columbus will win for him increased approval that will be recorded at the ballot box in November.

And when the working men of the state get a clear and unbiased view of all the circumstances they will find that Governor Harmon has been their friend instead of their enemy.
It is to the advantage of the scheming g. o. p. tricksters to poison the minds of working men against Governor Harmon. If by that means they could accomplish his defeat. After that they will have no more care or consideration for working men and labor organizations than they had after the election of "the father of injunctions" for president two years ago until the beginning of this campaign. Let every workman in Ohio keep this in mind when asked to "beat Harmon"—to please President Taft.

KILLED

Goat In Order To Prove His Innocence

Washington, Sept. 15.—This tale of a goat is arranged chronologically:
A woman in Detroit wanted a new hat and drew a 10-dollar bill out of a bank.
A gust of wind whisked it out of her hand.
A small boy driving a nanny goat to a cart happened by and the ten fluttered under nanny's nose.
Nanny gobbled the bill. The woman accused the boy of stealing it.
By the time a policeman arrived the goat had swallowed it.
The boy proved his innocence and recovered the bill by killing nanny.
The treasury department has issued a new bill but cannot issue a new goat.

A Man of Iron Nerve

Indomitable will and tremendous energy are never found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills, the matchless regulators, for keen brain and strong body. 25c at G. R. Baker, and F. Fink of Fredericktown.

THE MATRON IN SOCIETY

The charming girl who, I understand, is Queen of the May in American society must abdicate her position when she enters that of the English court. The married woman rules in Great Britain. No single lady, however eminent, can present any friend to the King and Queen. Thus it comes about that April is the great marriage month of the year, while May is almost bereft of high-class weddings.

The April bride returns from her honeymoon to take a much more elevated position in society than has hitherto been accorded her. Even the presentation which may have taken place after her coming-out now counts for nothing, and she must be re-presented to their majesties, and here the young husband is taught his proper place in the scheme of things. She may take him with her to the court, but must leave him outside as she does her wraps. She alone makes the two deep courtesies to the King and Queen. The new husband must not pass before them.

The levees are held at St. James palace and begin at 12, noon. Here the King is alone and only men are presented to him. The men must appear in full court dress—knee breeches, silk stockings, and a little toy sword at the side.—Robert Barr in Saturday Evening Post.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me until I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhages, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces, 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Its positively guaranteed by G. R. Baker, and F. Fink of Fredericktown.

HIS CAPACITY

After the war with Spain a party of Americans, including Colonel Hecker of Detroit, went to Cuba on a tour of inspection. They had with them a negro messenger named Frank.

One day Frank got into a place where they sell leeks and cakes on the Prado, in Havana, and bought a plate of ice cream. That was 20 cents. The waiter handed around some cakes. Frank took a few. The cakes were passed for the second and third time. On each occasion Frank helped himself liberally.

Then he called for his check. It was \$1.80, American. Colonel Hecker and some friends who were at the adjoining table heard Frank yell.
"What's the matter, Frank?" asked the colonel.
"Why didn't you stop me?" sobbed Frank. "Why didn't you stop me? Didn't you know I could eat enough of this stuff to bankrupt a whole government?"—Exchange.

BRITISH EXHIBIT REOPENED

Brussels, Sept. 15.—The British section of the Brussels Exhibition, which was almost totally destroyed in the great fire which swept the exposition grounds a month ago was formally reopened today with appropriate ceremonies. Practically all of the exhibits in the section have been replaced.

ESCAPADES

Of Doctor And Teacher Reviewed By Presbytery

Butler, Pa., Sept. 15.—After debating until long after last midnight, the Butler Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church declined to reinstate Elder Albert Holman, of the West Sunbury Church, who had been ousted by the Unionville congregation for alleged misconduct with a widow who is a school teacher.

Dr. Holman, who has been one of the leading physicians of the county as well as a leading church worker, was thrown out of his church some weeks ago, and appealed his case to the highest church tribunal, which reviewed the sensational testimony at which Butler county has been scandalized and much of which was not made public until today.

It is alleged that Elder Holman became entirely too attentive for a married man with the widow under cover of prescribing for her as a physician, and that after a time the couple threw off much of the concealment under which they at first met and began to meet under cover of darkness each evening near the country school house, where the widow taught.

Dr. Holman is fighting hard and says he will take the case before the next presbytery.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The membership and social committees are planning extensively to interest all the young men of the community in the work of the association.

The bowling of the association has opened with a vim and an interest that assures that the men appreciate the first-class condition of the alleys. Social attention has been paid to the comfort of both bowlers and spectators.

The men are forming teams looking to a regular schedule for the season. Any man interested in the team work is asked to report the fact.

Some changes have been made in the gymnasium schedule for the season, with a view to more completely meeting the needs of all classes of men and boys. The business men meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 5 o'clock. The juniors will meet for reorganization Thursday after school. The high school intermediates Monday at 3:30 and the employed intermediates Monday nights at 6:45. The young men over 18 have their opening class Tuesday night between 7 and 8 o'clock. One of the changes provides a class for the older men who cannot get into the afternoon classes and who do not feel able to take the work with the younger men. This class will meet Tuesday at 8 o'clock. There will be special hours for games and apparatus work and special classes for boxing, wrestling and fencing providing there is sufficient demand.

The primary class, boys from 10 to 12, will have some work on the gymnasium floor and will have the use of the baths and will be taught to swim. The physical committee feels that with the help and co-operation of the parents this class will be a great benefit to the smaller boys.

WHISTLER AS A HORSEMAN

Boggs, a cadet cavalry officer at West Point academy, was an assistant in the riding hall. On one occasion he overheard Whistler, who thoroughly disliked to ride, objecting strenuously to the horse brought for his use. The horse, he argued, was too heavily built and much too large for a man of his size. Whistler, with much vehemence, urged the man next to him to "swap." The man with whom he wished to exchange horses was of muscular build and a "pretty generous size" and his horse a lightweight animal, so it seemed to Whistler that it would be a "most fitting exchange."

"Oh, don't swap, don't you swap, Mr. Whistler," cried the dragon; "yours is a war horse, sir."

"A war horse!" exclaimed Whistler. "That settles it. I certainly don't want him."

"Yes, you do, sir," reiterated the man; "he's a war horse, I tell you, for he'd rather die than run."—Pittsburg Press.

***Prof. Mason, elocutionist and impersonator, will give an entertainment at the M. E. church at Howard Monday evening, September 19. The entertainment is given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society.

VIRGINIA: Gold Medal Flour makes delicious baked goods. KNOX.

LIABILITY

Extends Even After Marriage Says Attorney General

An ancient English law, enacted in 1601, was taken as a basis for an opinion issued by the attorney general's department to Secretary Shriver of the board of state charities. That statute, still in force, provides that a father, mother, grandfather and grandmother is liable for the support of poor, old, blind, lame or impotent persons who are related to them.

Accepting this as a part of common law, the department holds that the father of a married woman committed to an insane hospital after she became of legal age and whose husband is unable to support her, is liable for her maintenance in the institution under the new pay-patient law.

The contention of the father was that he was not liable for the reason that his daughter was beyond legal age when committed and that also because of being married, and that her husband was liable if any liability existed.

In another case in which it is held that the parent is liable the father objected to paying anything for the keep of his son because he was committed to the hospital after becoming of age. It is held he must pay.

It is also ruled that an estate of a patient who is without dependents may be drawn upon for the expense of maintenance of the patient.—Columbus Dispatch.

Don't Break Down

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause break-downs. You can't over-tax the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run-down, or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters, the matchless tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van de Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., writes: "That I did not break down, while enduring a most severe strain, for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50c at G. R. Baker's, F. Fink, Fredericktown.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the sickness and death of our husband and father. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. E. P. Webster.
Mrs. B. F. Conkle.
Mrs. H. M. Jacobs.
Mrs. A. S. Wright.

It Saved His Leg

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infallible for Ekin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Bolls, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at G. R. Baker's, and F. Fink of Fredericktown.

ANTI-PATTERSON

DEMOCRATS MEET

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 14.—The Independent Democrats of Tennessee, comprising that element of the party which is opposed to the Patterson administration and methods, assembled in convention here today to decide upon the course to be followed in the coming campaign. A strong movement is on foot to have the independent endorse Captain Benjamin W. Hooper, the Republican nominee for governor, which step, it is believed, would insure the defeat of Governor Patterson, who is a candidate for reelection.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS

Sealed proposals will be received by the board of deputy state supervisors and inspectors of elections for Knox county, Ohio, in their office in the Peterman building, Mt. Vernon, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon, Central standard time, Saturday, Oct. 15, 1910.

For the printing and furnishing of all ballots for the November 28th, 1910, election.

Each bid must be accompanied by a bond, executed in due form by bidder with at least two good and sufficient sureties satisfactory to the board in sum double the amount of bid to insure the completion of the work according to specifications on file in the said office of the board.

By order of the board of deputy state supervisors and inspectors of elections for Knox county, Ohio.

SAMUEL H. PETERMAN, Chief Deputy.
Clerk ALLEN JOHNSON.

New Fall SWEATERS

For Women, Misses & Children

Women's Pure Knitted Wool Sweaters—In white, gray and red. The favorite newest fall models—these early prices are unusually attractive—\$6, \$5, \$4.50, \$3.98, \$3.50, \$2.50 and **\$2.00**

Misses' Fine Wool Sweaters—Smart, new youthful models in gray, white and red. **\$1.00**
\$3.50, \$2, \$1.50 and

Children's Sweaters—We are now showing an unequalled line—including a number of exceptional values at \$2.25, \$1.50, \$1 and **50c**

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PEACE FIRST AND THEN JUSTICE

An Unbiased Opinion of a Republican Newspaper

LIKES HARMON'S COURAGE AND FAIRNESS

Says Ohio Needs More Such Executive Officials

In view of the effort made by scheming g. o. p. politicians to drag the Columbus strike into politics, it is interesting to know how an impartial critic on the outside regards the present situation in Ohio. The following editorial is quoted from the Parkersburg Dispatch-News, a daily Republican paper published at Parkersburg, W. Va.:
"PEACE FIRST, THEN JUSTICE."
"Recently certain leaders of union labor called upon Governor Harmon of Ohio and requested that the state troops be withdrawn from Columbus until the officials of the car company submitted the matters in dispute to arbitration. The reply of Governor Harmon was to the effect that his first duty was to restore order; then would come the investigation of the rights of the parties; that until rioting and violence ceased, he could not entertain a proposition looking to a settlement of the matters in dispute."

"Union labor throughout the state of Ohio has become highly incensed at this attitude of the governor, and by this ruling he has placed his political success in jeopardy. We are of the opinion, however, that the attitude of the governor will redound to his everlasting appreciation.
"The matter in dispute between the car company and its employees does not justify rioting or violence. Just as long as the lives of innocent people are in danger there is but one

duty of the executive of the state. Dynamiting cars and injuring and killing women and children and other innocent persons is prompted by the same spirit which induces lynching and other lawless acts.

"No difference what may be the justice of the claims of the employees, they will surely lose the sympathy of the public if they still permit lawlessness to continue. If these employees are aggrieved, they have the right to cease work; they have the further right, by any peaceable methods not in the nature of a conspiracy, to persuade others to refrain from filling their places. Beyond this they can not keep within the law, and whenever they step beyond this limit they forfeit their rights as law-abiding citizens and cease to be worthy of public sympathy.

"If all the minor executives in the state of Ohio were possessed of the same courage and clearness of vision possessed by Governor Harmon, the violence which has disgraced the state of Ohio would have been prevented."

Can't Change His Platform.

And now that Aldrich and Cannon and others of the same brand are to be eliminated by President Taft, what is he going to do with the Ohio Republican platform, which indorses the eliminated and their work as all that is good for mortal man?—Bel-laire Herald.

OHIO FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

FOR COMING SEASON

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| KENYON (Coach, Bemis Pierce) Sept. 24—East High at Gambier. Oct. 1—Otterbein at Gambier. Oct. 8—Denison at Gambier. Oct. 15—Mt. Union at Canton. Oct. 22—Reserve at Cleveland. Oct. 29—Wooster at Wooster. Nov. 3—Wesleyan at Delaware. Nov. 12—Case at Cleveland. Nov. 19—Ohio university at Gambier. Nov. 24—Ohio State at Columbus. | OHIO STATE (Coach, Howard Jones) Sept. 24—Otterbein at Columbus. Oct. 1—Wittenberg at Columbus. Oct. 8—Cincinnati at Columbus. Oct. 15—Reserve at Columbus. Oct. 22—Michigan at Columbus. Nov. 5—Case at Cleveland. Nov. 12—Wesleyan at Columbus. Nov. 19—Oberlin at Columbus. Nov. 24—Kenyon at Columbus. | MUSKINGUM (Coach, Xen Scott) Sept. 24—Buchtel at Cleveland. Oct. 1—Wooster at Cleveland. Oct. 8—Wesleyan at Cleveland. Oct. 15—Ohio State at Columbus. Oct. 22—Kenyon at Cleveland. Oct. 29—Navy at Annapolis. Nov. 5—Oberlin at Oberlin. Nov. 12—Hiram at Hiram. Nov. 19—Denison at Cleveland. Nov. 24—Case at Cleveland. | DENISON (Coach, Doc Freeman) Oct. 1—Ohio university at Granville. Oct. 8—Kenyon at Granville. Oct. 15—Case at Cleveland. Oct. 22—Ohio Wesleyan at Granville. Oct. 29—Ohio State at Columbus. Nov. 5—Wittenberg at Granville. Nov. 12—Wooster at Wooster. Nov. 19—Reserve at Cleveland. Nov. 24—Cincinnati at Cincinnati. | BERLIN (Coach, Harvey Snyder) Oct. 1—Buchtel at Oberlin. Oct. 8—Cornell at Ithaca. Oct. 15—Wooster at Oberlin. Oct. 22—Hiram at Oberlin. Oct. 29—Case at Cleveland. Nov. 5—Reserve at Oberlin. Nov. 12—Heidelberg at Oberlin. Nov. 19—O. S. U. at Columbus. |
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